



Caltrans

California Department of Transportation
District 7 -- 120 South Spring Street
Los Angeles, California 90012

FACT SHEET

SANTA ANA FREEWAY (I-5)

PAVEMENT REHABILITATION AND IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

(in the cities of Buena Park, La Mirada, Santa Fe Springs, Norwalk, Downey and Commerce)

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will rehabilitate and improve 11 miles of the northbound and southbound Santa Ana Freeway (I-5) in the cities of Buena Park, La Mirada, Santa Fe Springs, Norwalk, Downey and Commerce.

Overnight lane, ramp and full northbound and southbound freeway closures will take place periodically throughout construction. The northbound and southbound freeway will not be closed simultaneously. The freeway will remain open during peak commute hours. Signs and detours will be posted to assist motorists. In addition, press release updates on closures will be distributed to the media, chambers of commerce and cities within the construction area – as well as posted on the Caltrans website (noted below) to keep the public informed as work progresses. Construction dates and closures are weather-permitting and subject to change.

Overnight traffic delays are expected to be minimal. The California Highway Patrol will assist with traffic management when necessary.

Caltrans is aware of concerns regarding nighttime noise during construction and will do everything possible to keep the noise to a minimum.

CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE:

Estimated start of construction is mid-August, 2004 and estimated completion is winter, 2005.

PROJECT BENEFITS:

This pavement improvement project will provide a smoother driving surface, enhance safety and extend the life of the freeway.

ESTIMATED COST: \$25 million – state funding

CONTACTS: For additional information on this freeway improvement project, please call the Caltrans Public Affairs office from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday at (213) 897-3630 or (213) 897-3656.

PLEASE *SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE.*

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(PLEASE SEE MAP ON REVERSE.)